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In re U.S. Patent No.: 6,966,979 )  
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Inventor: Renato Pedrazzi )  
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Issue Date.: November 22, 2005 )  
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For: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR )  
CONTROLLING INFUSION OF A )  
LIQUID IN AN EXTRACORPOREAL )  
BLOOD CIRCUIT )

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Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §§ 254 and 255, and 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.322 and 1.323, this is a second request for a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified patent. The mistake identified in the appended Form occurred through the fault of the Patent Office, as clearly disclosed by the records of the application which matured into this patent.

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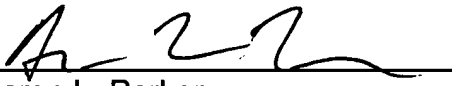
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Under Column 8, line 19, "FF=UFR/[Q<sub>q</sub>=UFR/[Q<sub>b</sub>·(1-Hct)]" should read  
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Title page.

Item [74], *Attorney, Agent, or Firm*, "Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Dunner & Dunner, L.L.P." should read -- Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner, L.L.P. --.

Column 7.

Line 26, "trans-membrane" should read -- transmembrane --.

Line 63, "pine" should read -- pipe --.

Column 8.

Line 19, " $FF=UFR/Q_q=UFR/[Q_b \cdot (1-Hct)]$ " should read

--  $FF=UFR/[Q_p=UFR/[Q_b \cdot (1-Hct)]]$  --.

Line 20, " $Q_q$ " should read --  $Q_p$  --.

Column 9.

Line 4, " $FF=UFR/Q_q=UFR/[Q_b \cdot (1-Hct)]$ " should read --  $FF=UFR/Q_p=UFR/[Q_b \cdot (1-Hct)]$  --.

Line 5, " $Q_q$ " should read --  $Q_p$  --.

Line 10, "trans-membrane" should read -- transmembrane --.

Column 10.

Line 26, " $FF=UFR/Q_q=UFR/[Q_p \cdot (1-Hct)]$ " should read --  $FF=UFR/Q_p=UFR/[Q_b \cdot (1-Hct)]$  --.

Line 27, " $Q_q$ " should read --  $Q_p$  --.

Line 32, "trans-membrane" should read -- transmembrane --.

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